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Victoria, B.C., 15th July, 1879. jy16

VICTORIA HIDE DEPOT.

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NOTICES.

TESTIMONIAL.

THE UNDERSIGNED, MASTER OF THE wrecked ship Becherdass Ambiadass begs to return his sincere thanks to Mr. EMANUEL COX, keeper of Cape Beale light, and MRS. COX for their kindness and attention to himself and family under the most trying circumstances. He has also to particularly notice the bravery of Mr. Cox in assisting to man a canoe and accompanying the mate of the ship to Dodger's Cove for the purpose of securing the valuable assistance of Captain Spring and his crew, to whom he is also greatly indebted for many kindnesses.
W. S. WILLIAMS.
Victoria, B.C., July 31, 1879. aug1dw

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875 AND AMENDING ACTS.

In the matter of Samuel Walker, an Insolvent.

A WRIT OF ATTACHMENT HAS BEEN ISSUED in this cause, and the creditors are notified to meet at office of assignee in Barkerville on Friday the 15th day of August next, at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, to receive statements of his affairs and to appoint an assignee if they see fit.
C. T. DUPONT,
Official Assignee.
Victoria, July 4th, 1879. jy5dw

NOTICE OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE ENTERED INTO partnership at the premises lately occupied by Hie Lee, situate on Cormorant street in the City of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, as general traders, under the style of Tie & Wey.
I.AM TIE,
Witness— I.AM WEY.
HENRY C. COURTNEY, Attorney.
Victoria, July 1st, 1879. jy22

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL NOT BE RESPONsible for any debt contracted in his name, or on his behalf, unless under a written order from him.
J. JUDSON YOUNG.
Victoria, 15th July, 1879. jy16

In the Matter of Ludyor Brouzseau.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO OR HAVING ANY property part of this estate, are requested to pay the amount or hand over the property to the Administrator, John George Green, of Quesnelle, B. C. And all persons having claims against the Estate are requested to furnish the Administrator with particulars of the same.
Dated at Victoria, July 28th, 1879.
DRAKE & JACKSON,
jy29 Solicitors for the Administrator.

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate and Effects of George Thomas Seymour, Deceased.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE ABOVE Estate are required to pay the amounts due forthwith; and all persons having any claims against the said estate are required to forward them, on or before the 1st day of October, 1879, to
JAMES CHARLES PREVOST,
jy5 Administrator.

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A stream, about 12 feet wide, 400 yards from place of beginning, empties into the passage.
Application to purchase was made by me on the 15th November, 1877.
W H. WOODCOCK.
Victoria, July 8th, 1879. jy23dw2m

JOSEPH CROTHUS,

A NATIVE OF IRELAND, WILL OBLIGE BY sending his address to
A. B. FERGUSON,
Clinton, July 15th, 1879. jy20dw1m

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL ONLY accept COIN FOR RENT, as well as for other Payments to be made to me.
jy30 LD. LOWENBERG

THE PARTNERSHIP

WHICH HAS HERETOFORE EXISTED BEtween the undersigned under the name of Hayward & Jenkinson has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.
Mr. Charles Hayward, who will henceforth carry on the business on his own account, will receive all monies owing to and discharge all liabilities of the late firm.
CHAS. HAYWARD,
ROBT. JENKINSON,
Witness—R. E. JACKSON.
26th June, 1879. m

DISSOLUTION.

THE PARTNERSHIP HITHERTO EXISTING between Alexander Phillips and Paul Bocion has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All outstanding accounts will be collected by Alexander Phillips, who will also pay all liabilities and continue the business.
Victoria, B. C., June 24th, 1879.
A. PHILLIPS.
P. BOCION.
Witness—M. CAMBUSA. je25

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Victoria, 15th July, 1879. jy16dw1m

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STOCKS AND MINES.

PROSERPINE GOLD & SILVER MINING CO. (LIMITED)

Location of Works, Wilkinson Lode, Cariboo.

THERE IS DELINQUENT UPON THE FOLLOWing described stock on account of Assessment No. 5, levied on the 15th day of June, 1879, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective Shareholders, as follows:—

Name.	No. of Certif.	No. of Shares	Amt.
D. J. Bigelow	383	100	$ 1 00
do	384	100	1 00
do	385	100	1 00
Louis Erb	595	100	1 00
do	596	100	1 00
do	597	100	1 00
do	598	100	1 00
do	599	100	1 00
do	600	100	1 00
do	601	100	1 00
do	602	50	50
do	603	50	50
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Walter Budd	745	1000	10 00
J. H. Gaston	8	100	1 00
do	641	100	1 00
J. C. Keith	168	500	5 00
W. W. Armstrong	243	100	1 00
D. M. Eberts	725	100	1 00
E. G. Prior	265	500	5 00
J. Burns	792	100	1 00
do	793	100	1 00
J. W. Finlayson	640	50	50
M. Redman	763	1000	10 00
N. McFarland	766	500	5 00
J. W. Moxley	805	150	1 50
W. M. Cameron	825	350	3 50
J. Sullivan	826	500	5 00

And in accordance with law so many shares of each parcel of said stock as may be necessary will be sold at the Company's Office, Barkerville, B. C., on the Fifteenth day of August, at the hour of Five in the afternoon of said day to pay said delinquent assessments thereon, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale. CHARLES WILSON,
jy29dw Secretary, Barkerville, B. C.

QUESNELLE QUARTZ MINING COMPANY (LIMITED.)

Location of Works, Hixon Creek, B. C

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT A meeting of the Trustees of said Company, held this 5th day of July, 1879, the 10th Assessment of of One cent per share was levied upon the capital stock of said company, payable on the 7th day of July, 1879, to the Secretary, at the office of the Company, Quesnelle, B. C.
Any stock upon which said assessment shall remain unpaid on the 16th Aug, 1879, shall be deemed delinquent and will be duly advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment of same together with costs of advertising shall be made before, will be sold at public auction on Saturday, 6th day of Sept, 1879, at the office of the said Company, Quesnelle, B.C., to pay the delinquent assessments, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.
R. J. SKINNER, Secretary.
Quesnelle, B.C., 5th July, 1879. jy13dw

BRITISH COLUMBIA MILLING AND MINING CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE.

ASSESSMENT No. 6 OF ONE CENT PER SHARE has this day been levied, payable at the Company's office in Victoria on or before Friday, the 29th day of August, 1879, date of delinquency.
By order of the Directors.
G. A. SARGISON, Secretary.
Victoria, 1st August, 1879. au2

TENDERS.

PACIFIC RAILWAY TENDERS.

TENDERS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF about one hundred miles of Railway, West of Red River, in the Province of Manitoba, will be received by the undersigned until noon on Friday, 1st August next.
The Railway will commence at Winnipeg, and run North-westerly to connect with the main line in the neighborhood of the 4th base line, and thence Westerly between Prairie la Portage and Lake Manitoba.
Tenders must be on the printed form, which, with all other information, may be had at the Pacific Railway Engineer's Offices in Ottawa and Winnipeg.
F. BRAUN,
Secretary.
Department of Railways and Canals, }
OTTAWA, 16th June, 1879. } jy6

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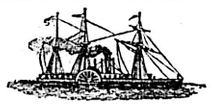

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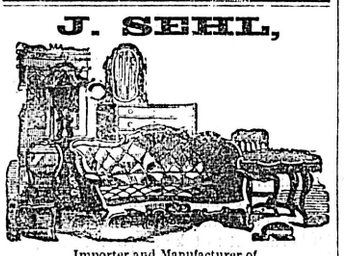

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Daily Colonist.

SUNDAY MORNING, AUG. 10TH, 1879.

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THE CRASH AT MONTREAL.

The financial stringency that commenced three years ago in Canada has culminated in the failure of several banks in Montreal and of at least one bank in Quebec. The disasters have not been unexpected. For some time it has been known that several of the banks were struggling to meet their engagements while carrying the past-due paper of their customers from month to month in the vain hope of the dawn of better times. But the utter prostration of trade and the hopeless insolvency of many houses that were regarded as amongst the most substantial in the Dominion, has hastened a catastrophe which was delayed but could not be averted. The Consolidated Bank, of which Sir FRANCIS HINCKS was the moving spirit, had a capital of $4,000,000. It was, as its name implies, a consolidation of three or four banks whose business had proved unprofitable, but who were yet regarded as solvent when their business was taken over. A few weeks ago it was reported that the Consolidated was in difficulties, and the manager, Mr. Renny, resigned. It has since been ascertained that the directors' last report of the condition of the bank was incorrect, and that commercial paper rated in the report as good was really worthless and known to be such by Sir FRANCIS HINCKS and the late manager. Hence the popular feeling against the baronet and Mr. RENNY which, the telegraph asserts, will take the shape of a criminal prosecution.

The Stadacona Bank, another exploded concern, has its head office at Quebec. Its capital was $1,000,000, of which $990,800 was paid up. The Exchange Bank of Canada, head office at Montreal, had a capital of $1,000,000, all paid-up. The Ville Marie Bank, also located at Montreal, had a paid-up capital of $1,000,000. Over-trading, speculation, extravagance, large sums of money sunk in palatial residences and bank buildings and unproductive town lots—property always difficult to convert into cash when times are hard and commercial men are catching at straws or flying kites to sustain themselves—and a sudden fall in every description of merchandise. Such are the principal causes that have led to the panic at Montreal, and the ruin of half-a-dozen banks, the collapse of which will pull down hundreds of business men. Even if the worst were now known and no more failures were to transpire (a condition that can scarcely be hoped for), the loss of public confidence, the unsettled state of business, the shrinkage in values and the difficulty of raising money upon securities that under a better state of affairs would be deemed ample, will cripple resources, retard business operations and delay a return of that prosperity which for the first seven years subsequent to Confederation was general. A season of financial distress in Eastern Canada has got to be faced, and those who shall meet it most resolutely will recover earliest from its effects. All the weak sticks should be allowed to break now and the *debris* should be cleared away. If firms are unsound a frank statement and an early understanding with their creditors will be best for all concerned. Causes similar to those that have broken up Montreal banks and business houses have operated as disastrously in the Eastern States, and are creating widespread distress throughout California. Canada, therefore, is not singular in her misfortunes, which at worst are but temporary. A country with the splendid resources that the Dominion possesses cannot sink beneath the waves of adversity that now assail her. Let us hope the recent startling events in Montreal will not tend to defeat the railway policy of the Dominion Government.

WHERE THE MONEY WENT.

How the War Indemnity of France was Paid.

[From the Pall Mall Gazette.]

An account has been lately published of the way in which the indemnity paid by France to Germany on the conclusion of the war of 1870-71 has been spent. Altogether, including the war contributions imposed upon Paris and the departments occupied by the German troops, Germany has received from France the sum of 5,254,000,000f. or about £210,160,000. Of this sum £91,748,543 were in the first instance set aside for imperial purposes, and the remainder was divided among the several States forming the Empire, the old North German Confederation receiving £79,114,535; Bavaria, £13,468,819; Wurtemberg, £4,248,304; Baden, £3,050,493, and Hesse, £1,436,509. Of the £91,748,543 set aside for imperial purposes, £28,033,849 have been appropriated to form a pension fund; £10,800,000 to strengthen, enlarge and add to the number of the fortified places of the empire; £8,580,000 for the purchase and construction of railways in Alsace and Lorraine, and £6,447,142 to improve the fortresses in the two annexed provinces; £6,000,000 have been placed in the Imperial war treasury; £600,000 have been awarded in grants for eminent services; £242,740 have been spent in providing a range on which to carry on artillery experiments; £300,000 have been allotted to German subjects expelled from France, while smaller sums have been appropriated to recompense railway companies for the damage done to their rolling stock; to improve the military, telegraphic and postal service; to compensate German shipowners for losses sustained during the war; to extend the artillery workshops at Strasburg; to provide commemorative medals, and to construct a building for the Reichstag.

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Morning Dispatch.

PACIFIC COAST.

SAN FRANCILCO, Aug. 8.—Henry C. Kind, law partner of Jas. D. Fay, who died by his own hand in Oregon, committed suicide Wednesday night by taking morphine. His wife's father had left an estate to Mrs. Kind of which Kind had charge. He left a note to his wife saying he had squandered the entire property which was the reason of the act.

GERMANY.

BERLIN, Aug. 7.—A correspondent at St. Petersburg says Gen. Lazaroff's expedition suffered terribly from eye disease caused by the heat of the sun and sand.

UNITED STATES.

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—The *Alaska Times'* Washington special says Commander Beardsley of the Jamestown at Sitka, in his report, says the first and only steps by which Alaska can ever be saved or developed will be the enactment of a law which shall place the importation of molasses and coarse sugar under such restrictions by which the manufacture of hootchenoo can be stopped.

RUSSIA.

ODESSA, Aug. 8.—A Socalist named Somoff has died from the effects of terrible burns inflicted with the intention of self-destruction. He was found in his cell sitting over a petroleum lamp, the flesh of his fingers was consumed and his back up to his neck was horribly burned. He was moved to a hospital where he died without uttering a word.

SOUTH AFRICA.

LONDON, Aug. 8.—A Cape Town dispatch says that the report that King Cetewayo has offered to surrender is not confirmed and the impression prevails that he will give more trouble.

Afternoon Dispatch.

PACIFIC COAST.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 7.—In connection with the affairs of Martin Taylor & Co., the police state that on the arrival of McDonnell Brothers in this city from Canada, certain city banks received warning from the east to look out for them as they were believed to be brothers of McDonnell the English forger.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 7.—The Syndicate firm of Martin Taylor & Co., was attached this morning. No funds could be found in the office or anywhere else. This deliberate swindle, though exposed by the *Bulletin* and *Call*, has succeeded in fooling old men and women with more money than brains, out of at least a hundred thousand dollars. To-day a lot of women are in the office demanding money.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 7.—The Consolidated Virginia and California Mining Companys have each declared a dividend of 50 cents per share. An assessment of $1 per share has been levied by the Justice Mining Company; also $1 per share by the Alpha.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 7.—Counterfeit $10 notes of the Farmers and Manufacturers Bank of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., are afloat. They are an excellent imitation.

The *Post* this evening says there was a great deal of excitement in Municipal circles this morning upon receipt of the intelligence that Mayor Bryant was to be arrested to-day on twenty charges of grand larceny growing out of the Dupont street transactions. It is alleged that Bryant fraudulently issued these warrants and that upon them money was obtained from the City Treasurer and that therefore the offence of grand larceny was committed.

Henry W. Krang suicided this afternoon. He was executor of an estate and was $9000 short.

THE DARIEN CANAL.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 7.—A thorough enquiry at the State Department and an interview with the President this afternoon enables the authoritative statement that no action has been taken and no correspondence held by the Government either with regard to the DeLesseps Canal scheme in its relation to our foreign policy or with regard to further exploration of the isthmus by another Government expedition with a view to the organization of an American Canal Co. As far as the DeLesseps scheme is concerned both the President and Secretary of State are firmly convinced that no exigency is likely to arise which can cause disquietude or make it necessary for the Government to take steps for the protection of American interests.

Evening Dispatch.

CANADA.

MONTREAL, Aug. 8. — The Ville Marie Bank has suspended. Liabilities on billholders and depositors about $700,000. There is a run on the Hochelaga Bank and the City and District Savings Bank.

The excitement over the bank failures is increasing as the people come to hear of the suspension of the Ville Marie Bank. Before the hour of commencing business this morning an immense crowd of billholders and depositors collected and when the doors were opened a rush was made to the paying teller's desk. After a few moments' conference the officials deemed it wisest to suspend. The directors assert that the bank is able to pay all its liabilities within a reasonable length of time and have considerable capital left for the shareholders. The capital stock is $1,000,000 nearly all paid up. It has $300,000 worth of bills in circulation and $700,000 on deposit—$400,000 of this sum requiring notice before payment. Notes under discount amount to $1,200,000; brokers are offering from 75 to 80 cents for bills. The run upon the City and District Savings Bank increases and as the depositors nearly all belong to the working classes, it is the most serious that has yet taken place. Deposits aggregate three millions, and it is said that considering a run inevitable the directors had taken every precaution beforehand to be prepared for it. The general manager of the Bank of Montreal states that the City and District Bank will have no difficulty in meeting all demands. It is asserted on good authority that they have converted securities to the extent of two millions and have that amount in the bank. There is also talk that the gentlemen of the Seminary of St. Salsfice have tendered assistance. The Hochelaga Bank being a small affair, with only a circulation of $140,000, occasions very little uneasiness whether it succumbs or not. A report was in circulation that the Banque de St. Jean, of St. Johns, Quebec, was in trouble; but the directors of that institution say that it is all right.

QUEBEC, Aug. 8.—Labor troubles have assumed an appearance of a war of race. Last night prominent English people in St. Roches and on Little River road were threatened by French Canadians and to-day they asked protection from the civil authorities.

DURHAM, Aug. 8.—Joseph Wighten and W. A. Richardson were killed and nine persons seriously injured by the falling of timbers at a barn-raising.

RUSSIA.

SERAJEVO, Aug. 8.—A fire broke out in the Latin quarter of this city and the whole place is now burning. The fire threatens to assume terrible proportions.

SERAJEVO, Aug. 8, 10 p.m.—At this hour the fire is still ragiug. It was caused by an explosion. The Catholic, Servian and Jewish districts and commercial quarters have been destroyed. One thousand buildings have been burned, including Catholic and Servian churches and 100,000 persons are made homeless. Damage enormous.

SERAJEVO, Aug. 9.—The fire which broke out in this city yesterday was extinguished at 8 this morning after tremendous exertions by the garrison. Three soldiers were killed. Some of the newspapers declare that the fire was caused by a Mohammedan fanatic.

SPAIN.

MADRID, Aug. 9.—Full accounts of the accident to King Alphenso on the the way from the Escurial to Lagranja returning from the funeral of his sister Marie de Le Pilar shows that he and the Princess of Asturias had an exceedingly narrow escape. The axles of the carriage broke while passing a precipice. The postillion contrived to swerve the vehicle to the opposite side of the road, thus avoiding the fall by which the whole party must have been killed.

SOUTH AFRICA.

LONDON, Aug. 8.—Some correspondents in South Africa appear to think that it is possible Cetewayo may defeat the natives sent against him, in which event all prestige gained by the success of the British forces at Ulundi would be lost. A military council will be held at Maritzburg, but it will probably be little more than a matter of form. Seconceni in the north is not expected to submit without fighting. A column of 5,000 men is preparing to march against him should he continue recalcitrant.

Fuller advices show that Sir Garnet Wolseley did not inform the coast chiefs that they were to be governed by the English, but he told them that their country would be ruled by independent Zulu chiefs.

FRANCE.

PARIS, Aug. 9.—Panama Canal shares are quoted below par. Public buyers scarce.

GREAT BRITAIN.

LONDON, Aug. 9—The *Times* says the silver market was strong yesterday and improved by the statement that Germany is willing to negotiate with the United States concerning the bimetallic standard.

LONDON, Aug. 9—A dispatch to the *Times* from Belgrade says a serious fire occurred at Nish on the 7th inst.

A *Times* Alexandria correspondent has interviewed Twefik Pasha. The latter stated he considered Nuba Pasha's return to Egypt unadvisable. The Khedive is opposed to the return of Mr. Rivers Wilson and M. Beligniere.

The *United Service Gazette* says that Sir Garnet Wolseley will be the next Commander-in-Chief in India.

A CURIOSITY OF NUMBERS. — The multiplication of 987654321 by 45 gives 44444444445. Reversing the order of the digits and multiplying 123456789 by 45 we get a result equally curious, 55555555505. If we take 123456789 as the multiplicand, and interchanging the figures of 45, take 54 as the multiplier, we obtain another remarkable result, 66666666606. Returning to the multiplicand first used, 987654321, and taking 54 as the multiplier again, we get 53333333334—all threes except the first and last figures, which read together 54, the multiplier. Taking the same multiplicand and using 27, the half of 54, as the multiplier, we get a product of 26666666667—all sixes except the first and last figures, which read together 27, the multiplier. Next interchanging the figures in the number 27, and using 72 as a multiplier, with 987654321 as the multiplicand, we obtain a product of 71111111112—all ones except the first and last figures, which read together give 72, the multiplier.

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A Young Lady Shot on her Wedding Day.

A terrible and distressing tragedy occurred in Edgington Township, Rock Island County, Ill., recently, a brother planting a bullet in a beloved sister's temple and then falling dead by her side from another bullet sent by his own hand. The parties to the tragedy were Lee and Melinda J. Robbins, the eldest son and daughter of a wealthy farmer named W. W. Robbins. A few weeks ago the young woman formed the acquaintance of a young man named Thomas Richards, to whom she soon after became engaged, contrary to the wishes of her family, who, however, finally gave their unwilling consent to the marriage, which was appointed for to-day. The brother, Lee, who was deeply attached to his sister, was not advised of the intended marriage till this morning, and when he heard of it he swore it would not take place. He procured a revolver and went out to hunt for Richards, but failed to find him. Disappointed in this, he returned home and went up to the room in which his sister was dressing for the wedding. What passed between them is not known, but soon the family down stairs heard the report of a pistol, quickly followed by another shot, and, rushing up stairs, Mr. Robbins found his two children lying in a pool of blood, the young lady dead, and the son unconscious and dying. Both were shot in the forehead. In the case of the girl the bullet passed through the head. Lee died in thirty minutes, without speaking a word, and, as no papers were left, this is probably all that will ever be known of the tragedy.

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INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875 AND AMENDING ACTS.

In the matter of STEPHEN M. NELSON, an Insolvent

THE INSOLVENT HAVING FILED WITH ME a Deed of Composition and Discharge, signed by the requisite proportion of his creditors, notice is hereby given that a meeting of his creditors will be held at my office, Wharf street, Victoria, on Monday the 25th inst., at 11 a.m., to take such deed or offer of composition and discharge into consideration.
C. T. DUPONT, Assignee.
Victoria, August 8th, 1879. au10

HORSES FOR SALE!

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS SOLD 21 HORSES in this city during the last month and has a
Few left Ready Broken to Harness and Saddle,
Which he would like to sell TO-MORROW at J. P. Davies & Co.'s Cattle Sale Yard, as he wishes to return home on Tuesday's boat.
au10dw R. STEVENSON.

LOWHEE QUARTZ MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

GENERAL MEETING.

A GENERAL MEEEING OF THE LOWHEE Quartz Mining Company will be held at the Company's office, Barkerville, on Monday, August 25th, 1879, at 7:30 p.m., to consider the expediency of dissolving the corporation and dividing the assets of the company among the shareholders.
By order of the Board of Directors.
CHARLES WILSON, Secty.
Barkerville, B. C., Aug. 2nd, 1879. au10dw

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ASSESSMENT No. 1.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT AT A meeting of the Trustees of said Company held on the 28th day of July, 1879, an assessment of $3 per share was levied upon the capital stock of said company, payable on the First day of August, 1879, to Charles Wilson, Secretary, at the Company's office, Barkerville, B. C. Any stock upon which said assessment shall remain unpaid on 17th day of Aug., 1879, shall be deemed delinquent, and will be duly advertised for sale at Public Auction and, unless payment be made before, will be sold on the 22nd day of September, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.
CHARLES WILSON, Secretary.
Barkerville, B. C., Aug. 2nd, 1879. au10dw

JOHN J. RUSSELL

THANKING THE PUBLIC FOR PAST FAVORS, begs most respectfully to announce that he has disposed of his Landeau and Stable to A. W. Lawson, and hopes a liberal patronage will be extended to his successor. JOHN J. RUSSELL.
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PARTNERSHIP NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT MR. GEO. F. D. Simpson has been this day admitted into partnership by Mr. Henry Short, gunmaker and importer, Fort street, and the business will in future be conducted under the firm name of Short & Simpson, Gunmakers and Importers.
Fort street, Victoria, Aug. 8, 1879.
HENRY SHORT,
au9 GEORGE F. D. SIMPSON.

LOST.

A REWARD OF FIVE DOLLARS ($5) WILL BE given at this office to any person returning to the owners a Satchel, which was dropped on Quadra street on Friday the 8th inst. The satchel contains articles of value only to the owner. au9

MUSIC.

DIGBY PALMER HAS RETURNED from Puget Sound and will resume his
TEACHING THE PIANOFORTE,
SINGING AND TUNING.
jy30 1m FORT STREET.

Victoria Public Schools.

A MEETING OF THE VOTERS OF THE VICtoria City School District will be held in the City Hall on Monday, the 11th inst., at 12 o'clock, for the purpose of electing two School Trustees.
WM. WILSON,
Secretary V. C. S. Trustees.
1st August, 1879. au3

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P. J. HALL.
May 26, 1879. je27

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HY. JEWELL.
Victoria, Aug. 4, 1879. au5

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160,000 HAVANA CIGARS will be sold a bargain to close consignment.
First-class Double & Single HARNESS.
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DEPOSITORS ARE REQUESTED TO PRESENT THEIR PASS BOOKS AT THE BANK FOR INSERTION OF THE ACCRUED INTEREST AT THE 30TH JUNE, 1879.
JOHN GRAHAM,
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Victoria, Aug. 2nd, 1879. au3 1m

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DESIRABLE LOT
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SURBURBAN PROPERTY.
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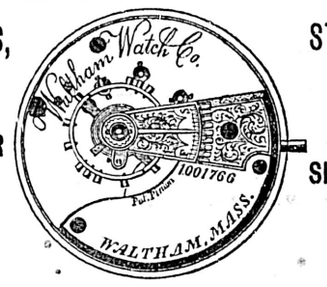

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GUN AND RIFLE MAKER
FORT STREET, OPPOSITE SCOTCH HOUSE,
Has Received from London direct, a Large Assortment of
DOUBLE AND SINGLE BARRELED GUNS
CENTRAL FIRE BREECH LOADERS,
FISHING TACKLE IN GREAT VARIETY.
Pocket and Sporting Cutlery, Powder Flasks, Shot Pouches, Game Bags, Cartridge Belts, Apparatus for Filling Cartridges for Breech-Loaders, and a Full Assortment of Gun Tackle.
GUNS MADE TO ORDER. REPAIRING NEATLY EXECUTED
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A YOUNG MAN, WHO IS A GOOD MATHEMAtician, salesman and warehouseman, and possesses first-class recommendations as to educational attainments and moral character, would be glad to obtain a situation in any honorable business capacity. Wages no object. Is anxious to obtain employment where he can be useful. Address "D. F." at *The Colonist* Office. au2

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Daily Colonist.

SUNDAY MORNING, AUG. 10TH, 1879.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

Aug 9—Sch Maggie, Pt Townsend
Str Alaska, Pt Townsend
Str Empire, San Francisco
Slp Clam, Orcas Island
Str Western Slope, Fort Simpson
Str W. G. Hunt, New Westminster
Str Cariboo-Fly, Nanaimo

CLEARED.

Aug. 9—Str Alaska, San Francisco
Str Empire, Nanaimo
Slp Clam, Orcas Island
Str W. G. Hunt, Nanaimo
Str Emma, Nanaimo
Sch Black Diamond, Nanaimo
Sch Maggie, Orcas Island

PORT OF BURRARD INLET, B. C.

July 3—Ger bk Louisa, George Meyer, master, 654 tons, from Honolulu in ballast, for M.S.M.Co.

Am sch Isabel, R. C. Walker, master, 240 tons, from San Francisco in merchandise, for M.S.M.Co.

July 16—Str Princess Louise, C. Meyers, master, from New Westminster.

July 18—Ital bk Bersagliere, F. Lavirello, master, 1033 tons, from Callao in ballast, for M.S.M.Co.

July 22—Br bk Napier, Bryde, master, 1177 tons, from Callao, for M.S.M.Co.

Br ship Indian Chief, Wm. Fraser, master, 1238 tons, from Victoria, for H.S.M.Co.

CLEARED.

July 1—Am bk Niagara, I. H. Soul, master, 484 tons for Montevideo, cargo 300,443 rough lumber from M. S.M.Co.

July 9—Am bk Crusader, A. F. Mears, master, 680 tons, for Montevideo, cargo 431,150 ft rough lumber from H.S.M.Co.

Sch Eliza, Middleton, master, 50 tons, for Nanaimo.

Br bk Forward, J. W. Vanderwood, master, 747 tons, for Sydney, cargo 129,692ft tongue and grooved lumber, 343,028 ft rough lumber, 424 bdls laths from M.S.M.Co.

July 17—Sch Isabel, Walker, master, 240 tons, for Fiji Islands, cargo 34,311ft flooring, 14,109ft dressed lumber, 109,037ft rough lumber from M.S.M.Co.

July 23—Am ship Alexander McNeil, 1089 tons, P. F. Sproat, master, for Yokohama, cargo 139,231 feet tongue and grooved lumber, 579,782ft rough lumber, 125,000 shingles from H.S.M.Co.

July 29—Ger bk Louise, George Meyer, master, 654 tons, for Iquiqui, cargo 93,596ft flooring, 362,144ft rough lumber from M.S.M.Co.

MARRIED.

On the 29th July, at Pavilion, by the Rev. George Murray, Casper Phair, of Lillooet, to Cerise Armit Eyre, youngest daughter of the late W. A. Eyre.

AUCTION SALES TO-MORROW.

W. R. CLARKE & CO. will sell at 11 o'clock, on the premises, Frederick street, Furniture, &c.

TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCHES.

THE BRITISH COLONIST IS THE ONLY NEWSPAPER PUBLISHED IN BRITISH COLUMBIA THAT RECEIVES TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCHES! ITS VALUE AS A NEWS AND ADVERTISING MEDIUM IS THEREFORE APPARENT.

Letters Detained for Postage at Victoria P. O.

AUGUST 9, 1879.

Cotsford, John, San Francisco
Hausser & Co., New York
Lawson, H. W., Wellington, N. Z.
McLay, R., Cowichan
Nelson, A., San Francisco
Sluggart, J., Saanich
Thompson, Mr., Saanich

ENCOURAGING NEWS FROM HIXON CREEK!

A Veritable Bonanza Struck.

THE RICHEST QUARTZ IN CARIBOO!

We have been favored with the following extract from a letter received yesterday from Hixon Creek, Cariboo. The writer says :—

"I forward you all the news I can from here. The prospects are, I think, without mistake, as bright as they possibly can be. Since you were up here 100-foot level has been run until it tapped the ledge, and from all that can be seen it is a veritable Bonanza. It is not opened out enough to let us know how extensive it is, but the men working say it surpasses anything they ever saw. The rock for about half the width of the ledge (the edge or bonanza is from 10 to 12 feet thick where intersected by the level) is greatly decomposed and prospects from $1 to $1.50 to the pan in gold, free from that in the hard rock mixed with the decomposed matter. The mill is finished and ready to crush, but as they have not power enough to crush and hoist at the same time it has been decided to keep on for a few weeks in running levels and getting the mine ready for sloping out before commencing to crush. Shares have advanced to 25c. and 30c., but very few have changed hands. Every one wants to keep what he has as it is expected that shares will be selling for $1.00 in two or three months. Great exertions should be made to facilitate the removal of rocks in Cottonwood canyon, as their disappearance will overcome a great many obstacles in the opening up of the Hixon Creek property."

CLOSE OF THE SALMON SEASON.—The run of Sockeye salmon on Fraser River has ceased with very unsatisfactory results. The total pack thus far of all the canneries does not exceed 25,000 cases. All of them are shut down and only two or three will fish for the Cohoes run. Probably 40,000 cases will be the extent of the catch for the entire season. The unusual high stage of water was one cause of the scarcity of fish. The rapidity of the stream caused the fish to run near the banks and in the eddies, where it was impossible for the nets to drift. There have been great numbers of fish at Yale and Harrison River—a proof that they escaped the nets of the fishermen. The proprietors of canneries believe that they ought to be allowed to fish in Harrison River. The present laws do not allow them to cast their nets above tide-water. The spawning grounds of the Sockeyes are far above the mouth of the Harrison, in the streams which empty in the lake. This restriction in fishing, which was imposed by the Dominion Government without a due knowledge of true facts, has (it is said) injured the cannery interest greatly during the present year. It seems as if this industry ought to be encouraged in every reasonable manner.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.—The steamship Alaska leaves Esquimalt at daybreak this morning for San Francisco. Following are the names of passengers booked at the agent's office in this city at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon: Miss Patty Rhodes, Miss Sophie Rhodes, Miss Corriel, Miss H. Bornstien, Mrs. A. Meyer, Mrs. M. Jones, W. T. Gardner, wife and infant, Miss A. Jenkinson, Miss E. Munroe, J. J. Knevett, Ben. Kuhn, Mrs. Fisher and child, Miss Drake, Miss Dunsmuir, Miss Mary Dunsmuir, Mrs. R. A. Roscoe and 2 children, Mrs. F. Gilmore and child, C. C. Vorraith and wife, Mrs. Bramah and 2 children, Wm. Walrand, J.S. Gibson, H. W. Olivier, Sam. Havens, J. Davies, Moore, Wm. Leslie, Walter Thompson, Charles Bossinger, John Gallant, Geo. Shillito, Wm. E. Williams, R. A. McKenzie and wife, Michael Wheelan, John Page, Jas. Masterson and Haggerty.

THE steamship Empire will leave port at 6 o'clock this morning for Nanaimo and Departure Bay.

Waltham Watch Agency.

The undersigned hereby respectfully notifies his customers and the public generally that he is the

ORIGINAL AGENT FOR THE WALTHAM WATCHES

and has been for the PAST SIX YEARS. On account of a reduction at the factory he now offers the

GENUINE WALTHAM WATCH, COIN SILVER CASE

with certificate from the factory

FROM THIRTEEN DOLLARS

and upwards. Prices never before heard of in Victoria.

G. W. A. LANGE,
Government St.

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NEW WESTMINSTER ITEMS.—The Sockeyes have now entirely disappeared. Preparations are being made for the reception of the spring salmon, which are looked for about the middle of this month.... The forest fires are still burning at the other side of the river; much fine timber will be destroyed....On Wednesday last, during a cricket match, one of the players discovered the residence of Mrs. Williams, situated near Royal avenue, to be on fire. With much good nature the players at once rushed to the rescue, and one half removed the furniture whilst the remainder fought the devouring element. The struggle was a hard one for some time, from the difficulty of procuring water, but at last it was thoroughly extinguished. ....The telegraph line a short distance above New Westminster has been prostrated by forest fires and on Friday last communication was cut off....The Burrard Inlet road requires to be "brushed out," but the government as usual is troubled with *inertia*.

THE steamer Wilson G. Hunt arrived here at 2 p.m. yesterday from New Westminster having on board 30 head of cattle, account of R. L. Carson, 12 tons of hay and other produce for Nanaimo and the following passengers :—Mrs. McFadden, Mrs. Harrison, Mrs. Bacheldor, Miss N. Irving, Mrs. McDonald, Miss Murchison, Mrs. Cummings, Miss Cummings, Mme. Bendixon, Mrs. Howard, Messrs. P. McQuade, G. B. Wright, Jno. Adair, McDermott, D. Hennessy, B.J. Graham, H. Heath, McKeon, Disbury, Cox, W. H. Ladner, A. Dell, T. Kennedy, McDonald, J. Masterson, J. Rodgers, M. Evans, Kestler, Murphy, Shakespeare, Pemberton, McPhadden, H. F. Davies, D. Mills, Field, Gardner, E. Harrison, J. Y. Creighton, Russell, R. L. Carson and 125 Chinese and Indians.

THE steamer Enterprise arrived here at a quarter past 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon from New Westminster with the Mainland mails and express and the following passengers: Mrs. Dale, Mrs. Lester, Mrs. A. Davie, Mrs. Booth, Miss Dale, Miss Parmetter, Judge O'Rielly, E. Marvin, jr., C. R. Brodie, C. B. Sword, H. Elliott, Johnson, J. Hall, Taman, Thistleton, Nelson, Venner, V. Wurmnest, A. McKenzie, G. Mansell, A. Davie, T. W. Vincent, Jeffrey, Gorman, W. Isaacs, W. Gardiner, J. S. Deas, T. Deasy, A. Fellows and 42 Chinamen.

R. E. CHURCH CHOIR.—Music for today: Morning service—Opening vol., Andante Maestosa, Suppe; Venite 23; Psalms, double, 56; Te Deum 15; Benedictus 21; Anthem, "The Lord is my Strength;" Hymns 429, 575; closing vol., "War March of the Crusaders," Adolf Shultze. Evening service—Opening vol., Aria, R. Schuman; Psalms, double, 59; Cantate 19; Deus 21; Hymns 474, 587, 580; closing vol., March of the Prophet.

E. J. DURNY, Organist.

SUN MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF MONTREAL.—Mr. J. P. Grant, General Inspector of this Company, sails today by the Alaska for Eastern Canada. During his brief stay Mr. Grant has established agencies at Victoria, New Westminster and Nanaimo, and has taken a large number of risks. Policy-holders are absolutely protected against loss in this Company by the Canadian Government. Mr. F. S. Barnard has been appointed general agent for the Sun in British Columbia.

MARINE.—The bark C. B. Kenny, Capt Fickett, has been chartered to load lumber at Port Madison, W. T., for which place she will leave Royal Roads to-morrow. Her destination has not yet been disclosed....The bark Catilena has arrived at Hastings mill, Burrard Inlet, and is loading lumber for Australia.

ON VIEW.—Mr. Charles, Manager of the Hudson Bay Company, has kindly permitted Capt. W. R. Clarke to bring the schooners, sloops and boats belonging to the Pilot authorities alongside of the Hudson Bay Company's wharf to-day, and they will lay there for public inspection until the day of sale. *

FROM BURRARD INLET.—The steamer Etta White arrived here yesterday for certain machinery for Moody & Co.'s mill, Burrard Inlet. Having taken it on board she returned at 7 o'clock last evening.

COAL OIL.—The shipment of coal oil from California ex steamship Empire was tested yesterday by the Revenue Officers. One of the brands stood a test of 145; the other flashed at a little above 131. The oil therefore complies with the provisions of the new Act.

TREASURE SHIPMENTS.—The following amounts of treasure will be shipped to San Francisco through Wells, Fargo & Co. per steamship Alaska: Bank of British Columbia, $11,054; Garesché, Green & Co., $8,388. Total, $19,442.

APPOINTMENT.—Mr. Richard Jones has been appointed to the position of Assessor vacated by Mr. A. C. McKenzie. Mr. Jones is very competent and will discharge his duties faithfully.

ROBBERY.—On Friday last the residence of Mr. Thos. Styles, Amelia street, was entered by thieves, who stole a quantity of clothing and several other articles. The police are on the tracks of the offenders.

AGRICULTURE.—A meeting is called for to-morrow evening at 7 o'clock at the Agricultural Society's Hall, South Saanich, to consider and devise a remedy for the existing depression in the market for agricultural products.

FURNITURE SALE.—W. R. Clarke & Co. will sell at the residence of Mr. A. J. McLellan, Frederick street, to-morrow, all the well kept furniture therein contained.

THE steamer Wilson G. Hunt left here yesterday afternoon for Nanaimo and Departure Bay for a supply of coal. She will return to port this morning.

CEMETERY ALLOTMENTS.—The Presbyterian, Cathelic and Wesleyan Church bodies have made application for the purchase of allotments in Victoria Cemetery.

Church Matters.

A Congregational church in Illinois has refused a candidate for its pulpit because of his use of tobacco.

Governor Talbot, of Massachusetts, a strong Sabbatarian, has induced the Legislature to forbid the running of trains on the State railroad.

The Wesleyan "Thanksgiving Fund" in England has reached $800,000 and will reach about $1,500,000—and this without a single personal appeal.

Canon Liddon thinks there is hope of the reunion of Christendom through the surrender by the Church of Rome of some of its untenable positions.

The camp-meeting is growing in favor. Almost all denominations now recognize and use it. The Methodists have a list this year of not less than 150 camp-meetings.

The Rev. Dr. Parker, of London, who was to have officiated in Plymouth Church during Mr. Beecher's vacation, has reconsidered his determination, and now says he cannot come.

The senior and junior chaplains of the Cathedral of Edinburg recently ascended the central spire, which 275 feet high, and laid and consecrated the stone into which the cross is to be fixed.

Among the soldiers in the British army in Zululand are sixty or seventy Natal Kaffirs, who are professing Wesleyans, and every morning and evening they hold prayer-meetings in their camps.

Should the Jesuits be expelled from France, it is their intention, a Paris paper says, to establish colleges for the education of French youths just outside the country, at Monaco, Fribourg and Jersey.

Of the 80,250,000 English-speaking people in the world, 17,750,000 are Episcopalians, 14,000,000 Methodists, 13,500,000 Catholics, 10,000,000 Presbyterians, 8,000,000 Baptists and 7,000,000 Congregationalists.

The Pope's liberal policy is said to cause offence to many members of the Curia, who look upon his concessions to Russia and Germany and Switzerland as indicating a grave departure from the approved policy of Pius IX.

The colored Baptists of Alabama have sustained, at Selma, during the past year, a theological and normal school with 252 students, and have not only kept out of debt for current expenses, but have paid $1,000 besides on the purchase price of the buildings and grounds.

The Imperial Museum at Vienna has lately become possessed of some of the instruments used by Australian savages to induce their gods to give them rain. These are small lancet-shaped pieces of wood smeared with red ochre and rudely engraved. They are used in mystical ceremonies, attended with incantations.

Mr. Spurgeon's congregation has eighty colporteurs engaged in the work of the church, resulting in visits every month to about 75,000 families.

Dennis J. Oliver, of San Francisco, an Irish-American, has been given the title of Marquis by Pope Leo XIII. Mr. Oliver has been noted for his attachment and liberality to the Holy See, and was created a Count by Pius IX. The bull conferring the title of Marquis declares that it shall be hereditary in Mr. Oliver's family, descending to the eldest son.

The Rev. Henry J. Munsion, of Worcester, Mass., after preaching a sermon on the holiness of matrimony, stepped down from the pulpit, said that he had been too long a widower, and requested Miss Mattie Enton to come forward. Miss Enton complied, and the clergyman, to the congregation's astonishment, married himself to her after the Quaker form, each vowing to be faithful to the other.

The Emperor of Germany, at a recent church festival in Berlin, said: "If there is anything capable of acting as a stay to us in the life and turmoil of the present time, it is the support alone to be found in Jesus Christ. Let not yourselves, therefore, be misled gentlemen, by the tendencies prevailing in the world, especially in our days; and do not join the great multitude who entirely leave the Bible out of account as the only source of truth, or falsely interpret it in their own sense."

Five Baptist pastors of St. Louis publish a protest against the fraternization of Jew and Christian. The meeting house of the Rev. Dr. Boyd's Baptist church was destroyed by fire. Rabbi Sonneschein offered the use of his synagogue on Sundays. Dr. Boyd accepted, and invited Dr. Sonneschein to unite in the services. The Rabbi accepted the invitation, offered a devout prayer, and the choir sang Hebrew and Christian hymns alternately. Five of the eight Baptist ministers of St. Louis regarded the course of Dr. Boyd as rank heresy. They declared that "such an act of joint religious service could not but have been displeasing to God, however plausible, popular, sentimental, or enjoyable to mistaken human beings."

A FRAUD.—It turns out that Mother Shipton's renowned poetic prophecies, supposed to date from 1448, and beginning:

> "Carriages without horses shall go,
> And accidents fill the world with woe,
> Around the world thought shall fly
> In the twinkling of an eye,"

were written by one still living.

ST. CHARLES HOTEL (late the ADAMS HOUSE), will be reopened by Mr. J. Wagenheim, late of Portland, Oregon. The building has been refurnished and renovated. Opening day, Saturday, August 9th. *

DR. R. B. THOMPSON, Dentist, has returned from San Francisco and will resume the practice of his profession at the late residence of Sheriff Harris on Broad Street, on Wednesday, the 4th inst., at 9 a.m. *

BLACKBERRIES.—Four hundred pounds fresh Lawton Blackberries to arrive about the 10th or 15th August. Reserve your orders.—J. GOSNELL, Sole Agent. *

A ROMANTIC LIFE.

The Extraordinary Adventures of an Extraordinary Beauty.

[From the New York Times.]

The romantic vicissitudes of the early life of the Countess Solange de Kramer have once more become the talk of the Paris salons, and they are, indeed, so extraordinary that, used as materials for a novel, they would spoil the book by their lack of verisimilitude. One night, in 1801, a little girl about ten years old was deposited in the drawer of the foundling asylum at Brest. She was dressed with much finery, and a note attached to her skirts, told that her name was Solange, and that she would be reclaimed by her father. The claim was never made, however, and in due time the child was transferred to the orphan asylum, to be educated there. As she grew up, she developed a most extraordinary beauty, but her intellect appeared to be very weak, and she suffered from frequent fits. When she was twelve years old she was sent out into the streets to sell flowers, and her beauty and modesty attracted many people's good will, but she grew weaker and weaker, and at length she died. According to French custom she was buried in an open casket, and as it was winter and the soil was frozen, she was laid into the grave only covered with a thin layer of sand. During the night she awoke and pushing the sand away she crept out from this grave. Not exactly understanding what had taken place, she was not so very much frightened, but in crossing the glacis between the cemetery and the fortifications, she was suddenly stopped by the outcry, "Qui vive," and as she did not answer, the sentinel fired, and she fell to the ground. Brought into the guard-house, her wound was found to be slight, and she soon recovered, but her singular history, and also her great beauty had made so deep an impression on a young lieutenant of the garrison (Kramer) that he determined to be her protector, and sent her to one of the most fashionable educational establishments in Paris. During the next few years Kramer was tossed about by the war, but when in 1818 he returned to Paris, he found Solange a full-grown woman, not only beautiful, but accomplished and spirited, with no more trace of intellectual weakness or nervous fits. He married her, and for several years the couple lived happily in Paris. Meanwhile, investigations were made concerning the girl left, in 1801, in the Foundling Hospital at Brest, and as these investigations were made by the Swedish ambassador, and in a somewhat official manner, they attracted some attention. Capt. Kramer heard about the affair, and sent a note to the ambassador and, a month later on the ambsssador came in state to bring Mme. Kramer a formal acknowledgment from her father, the former Gen. Bernadotte, the present king Charles XIV. of Sweden. Capt. Kramer and his wife went immediately to Stockholm; they were enobled, etc., and their son has just now been appointed attaché to the Swedish Legation at Paris.

How Lord Brougham Used to Swear.

We were once talking about the profanity of a very distinguished American statesman, not now living. Mr. Sumner (who never swore himself) said :—"Well, I have heard him swear severely ; but, as a rule, nobody swears in my presence. The greatest mortification I ever received in my life, in this way, was when I was at breakfast abroad, with Lord Brougham. We had sat down at the breakfast-table when some body brought a newspaper to Lord Brougham. It contained a personal attack upon him. The article was marked, and he read it through. When he had completed it, he began a volley of the most scathing oaths that I ever heard fall from the lips of man. There was no limit to the curses he rained upon the head of the author of this piece. I was shocked and stricken dumb," said Mr. Sumner. "The other occupant of the table except Lord Brougham and myself was Brougham's mother. She sat at the head, opposite her son, a venerable and courtly lady, with an elegance and grace of manner that I never saw excelled. I dared not look at her for some moments, but when I ventured to turn my eyes in that direction I found that not a muscle of her face was moved. She was as calmly unconscious of what her son was saying as if he were talking in Arabic. The breeze soon blew over, and we had a very enjoyable breakfast.—*Hartford Courant.*

English Mail.

The Shah of Persia has appointed an Austrian, Count Montefiore, to be Mayor of Teheran, having a prudent perference for Austrians, as neither England nor Russia can be offended.

It is possible that Mr. Bright may visit the United States this fall.

Sir Henry Thompson said recently: "Persons who drink water when dining probably enjoy food more than those who drink wine. They have generally better appetites and digestion and they certainly preserve an appreciative palate longer than the wine-drinker."

Mr. Gissell, a gentleman of no occupation, having got himself into a mess by his proposal to bribe a committee of the House of Commons, is now anxious to get out of it. He has been examined before the Select Committee and gave an explanation of the affair, which was to the effect that he merely wished to test the truth of a statement contained in an anonymous letter he had received to the effect that the wharfingers who opposed the Tower-bridge bill believed they could bribe the committee of the House of Commons by giving £2,000. He admitted that he had been foolish, and said he intended exposing the matter after it had reached a certain stage.

Social and Political Position of Women.

A "drawing-room meeting," for the purpose of discussing the social and political position of women, was held on Monday afternooon at 1, Hyde Park-gardens, the residence of Mrs. T. Taylor. The meeting was numerously attended by an interested audience, among whose members was the Chinese Ambassador. The Right Hon. J. Stansfield, M. P., who was in the chair, introduced as the first speaker Miss Downing, who briefly enumerated the reasons of the Women's Suffrage Association for demanding the franchise for her sex, and touched in the course of her speech on the Married Women's Property Bill, and the law in regard to the custody of children. Mr. Avery Holmes replied in an able speech, admitting the truth of some of the first speaker's remarks, but denying that the franchise would be the remedy for the faults of the statute book. He owned it was an anomaly that a highly educated woman with a stake in the country should be without a vote, while many uneducated men possessed one; but stated there must be anomalies in everything, and the remedy for them was not always amputation. He protested against the leaders of this movement considering women as a class with separate interests from those of men. Miss Beecher, who spoke next, in a forcible manner objected to the argument used by Mr. Holmes of the thin edge of the wedge. If the thin edge of the wedge were a good thing, why, then, should they fear the thick end? As to the anomalies spoken of by Mr Holmes, the friends of woman's suffrage did not propose amputation as the remedy ; that would be depriving the uneducated man of his vote; they wished to confer it on the educated woman as well. The Rev. Brooke Lambert spoke next in fovor of the movement, and was followed by the Rev. Mr Whiston, who objected to it, on the ground that it would tend to rob women of their charm, and quoted Milton *apropos* of Adam and Eve. Miss Caroline Biggs answered in an amusing speech, and reminded Mr Whiston that there was another line of Milton on the subject of Eve's education. Major Baker, Mr Hunt, Mr J. Gow, and Dr. Lane, likewise addressed the meeting; and the latter gentleman moved a vote of thanks to the chairman for his excellent and eloquent speech, and the able manner in which he had fulfilled his duties. Miss Maclaren seconded the vote, and, after a show of hands, the proceedings terminated.—*The Queen, May 17, 1879.*

A BLANK calendar at the City Police Court yesterday.

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CANDLES — Parafine, Wax, Price's American.

CRACKERS — An assortment Fancy Crackers and Pilot Bread.

YEAST POWDERS, Lea & Perrin's Sauces, C. & B. Pickles, Coffee in tins, Black Pepper, brls., half-brls. and kits salmon, Oatmeal, Maccaroni and Vermicelli, Corn Starch, Cornmeal, Lard, white and brown Beans, Hops, Sago, Tapioca, Mustard, Dried Apples and Peaches, Currants, Starch, Maple Syrup.

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Blue Mottled Soap, Anderson & Chapman's, Pendray, and fine line Perfumed Soaps, Blueing, assorted sizes.

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Saturday the 16th of August,

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON,

Two Pieces of Land belonging to M. Bouillet, situated on the road leading to The Richmond and known on the Official Map as Nos. 4 and 16, being parts of Section 25.

No. 4 contains about 2 .86 acres.
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ALSO—Lots Nos. 53 and 55 Victoria West.

☞ALSO—All that parcel of land and premises situate in the City of Victoria and known and numbered on the subdivision plan of that part of Section IV (four) late Victoria District and registered as subdivision Lot No. 9, in Block X, and having dimensions as shown on said plan.☜

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AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.,

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HENRY DAVIDSON, Esq., Muirhouse, in the Chair.

THE MANAGER submitted to the Meeting—

THE ANNUAL REPORT by the Directors as to the Progress of the Business.

REPORT on the Books and Accounts by the professional Auditor of the Company.

BALANCE-SHEETS of the Company's Affairs, certified by the Auditor and three of the Directors, in accordance with the Acts of Parliament constituting the Company.

A GENERAL and COMPARATIVE STATEMENT explanatory of the progress of the Business from 1825 to 1878.

RESULTS COMMUNICATED IN THE REPORT

AMOUNT PROPOSED FOR ASSURANCE during the year 1878 (2247 Proposals)	£1,432,031 0 10
AMOUNT OF ASSURANCES ACCEPTED during the year 1878 (1810 Policies)	£1,111,005 3 4
ANNUAL PREMIUMS on new Policies during the year 1878	£38,476 11 5
CLAIMS BY DEATH during the year 1878, exclusive of Bonus Additions	£439,807 13 8
AMOUNT OF ASSURANCES ACCEPTED during the last five years	£6,220,234 10 7
SUBSISTING ASSURANCES at 15th November, 1878 (of which £1,360,011:13:9 is Re-assured with other Offices)	£10,005,152 1 1

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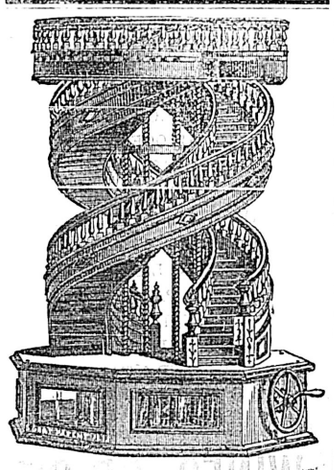

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C. T. DUPONT, Assignee.

Victoria, July 17th, 1879. jy17dw

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VICTORIA, B. C. 27th June, 1879.

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MUNICIPAL BYLAW.

A Bylaw to prohibit the erection of Wooden Buildings within certain Fire Limits within the City of Victoria:

1. That such part of the City bounded on the North by Johnson street, on the South by Fort street, on the East by Broad street and on the West by the Water Frontage be hereby declared within the Fire Limits of the City of Victoria. The centre of Johnson to centre of Fort from centre of Broad shall be limits referred to above.

2. All Buildings hereafter erected within the Fire Limits shall have their outside Walls and party Walls made of Brick, Stone or other incombustible material and such outside Walls shall extend four feet above Wall Plate of Roof, and party Walls shall also extend to same height above Wall Plate of Roof. Roofs shall be covered with such material as will afford protection against Fire and the Walls shall be so constructed as to separate all Wood Work thoroughly and completely of the interior and exterior of such Building from all and every part of the interior and exterior of any adjoining Building. If the apex of Roof should exceed the height of Fire Walls, then the Roof must be covered with such material as will afford protection against Fire. In the case of Gables the Walls are to be carried up to the full height of the Apex of said Roof. The term Building, as applied in this Section, shall not include Privies or Sheds for storage of Coal, Wood or Wharf Sheds.

3. All Repairs to Buildings constructed of brick, stone, or other incombustible materials, shall be made to conform to this Ordinance.

4. The Wooden Building within the said Fire Limits shall not be altered or changed without the written permission of the Chief Engineer of the Victoria Fire Department, approved by a majority of the Fire Wardens, which permit shall specify fully the alterations or changes required, and no such permit shall be given if any increase will be made by the proposed change or alteration in the size of any Wooden Building within the said Limits, or if such repairs or alterations will increase the value of such building more than Twenty-five per cent. The applications therefor and a copy of each of such permits shall be kept on file in the office of the City Clerk.

5. No Building within the said Fire Limits shall be removed except to a portion of the same lot on which it stands or to a point outside the Fire Limits.

6. Whenever any building shall be by any means so much injured as to be, in the judgment of the Chief Engineer and a majority of the Fire Wardens, a dangerous nuisance, or when any Wooden Building within the said Fire Limits shall, in the judgment of the Chief Engineer and a majority of the Fire Wardens, be damaged by fire to the extent of one-half or more of its actual value, the Chief Engineer shall cause to be served upon the owner or person having control thereof a notice requiring such person to remove the same forthwith, and the person receiving such notice shall within ten days after receiving the same comply with the requirements thereof.

7. *One Story Buildings*—Foundations to be not less than eighteen inches in thickness and not less than eighteen inches in the hard clay or gravel, as the case may be, brick walls to be not less than twelve inches thick. *Two Story Buildings*—Foundations to be not less than twenty-two inches thick and not less than eighteen inches in the hard clay or gravel, as the case may be. *Brick Walls*—Ground floor to be not less than seventeen inches thick; first floor not less than twelve inches thick.

8. Any person or persons violating any of the provisions of this Bylaw shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof before the Police Court shall be punished by a fine of not less than ten or more than one hundred dollars, and each day of maintaining or continuing such violation shall be deemed a new offence and punished accordingly.

9. The Chief Engineer of the Victoria Fire Department and the Fire Wardens are required to see that the provisions of this Bylaw are enforced and to make complaints in the Police Court for violation thereof.

10. This Bylaw may be cited for all purposes as "The Bylaw for Prohibiting the Erection of Wooden Buildings, 1879."

Passed the Municipal Council this Sixteenth day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-nine.

WM. LEIGH,
Clerk to the Municipal Council.

J. H. TURNER, MAYOR.

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MUNICIPAL BYLAW.

A Bylaw to Amend the Victoria Revenue Bylaw, 1879.

The Schedule A amended to the Bylaw entitled "The Victoria Revenue Bylaw, 1879," is hereby amended by the addition of the following words, which shall be read with and form part of the Schedule referred to in the said Bylaw:

"That each and every vehicle plying "for hire in the public streets of the City "of Victoria shall pay a rate of $2.50 for "every six months."

This Bylaw may be cited as The Victoria Amendment Revenue Bylaw, 1879.

Passed the Municipal Council this Sixteenth day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-nine.

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